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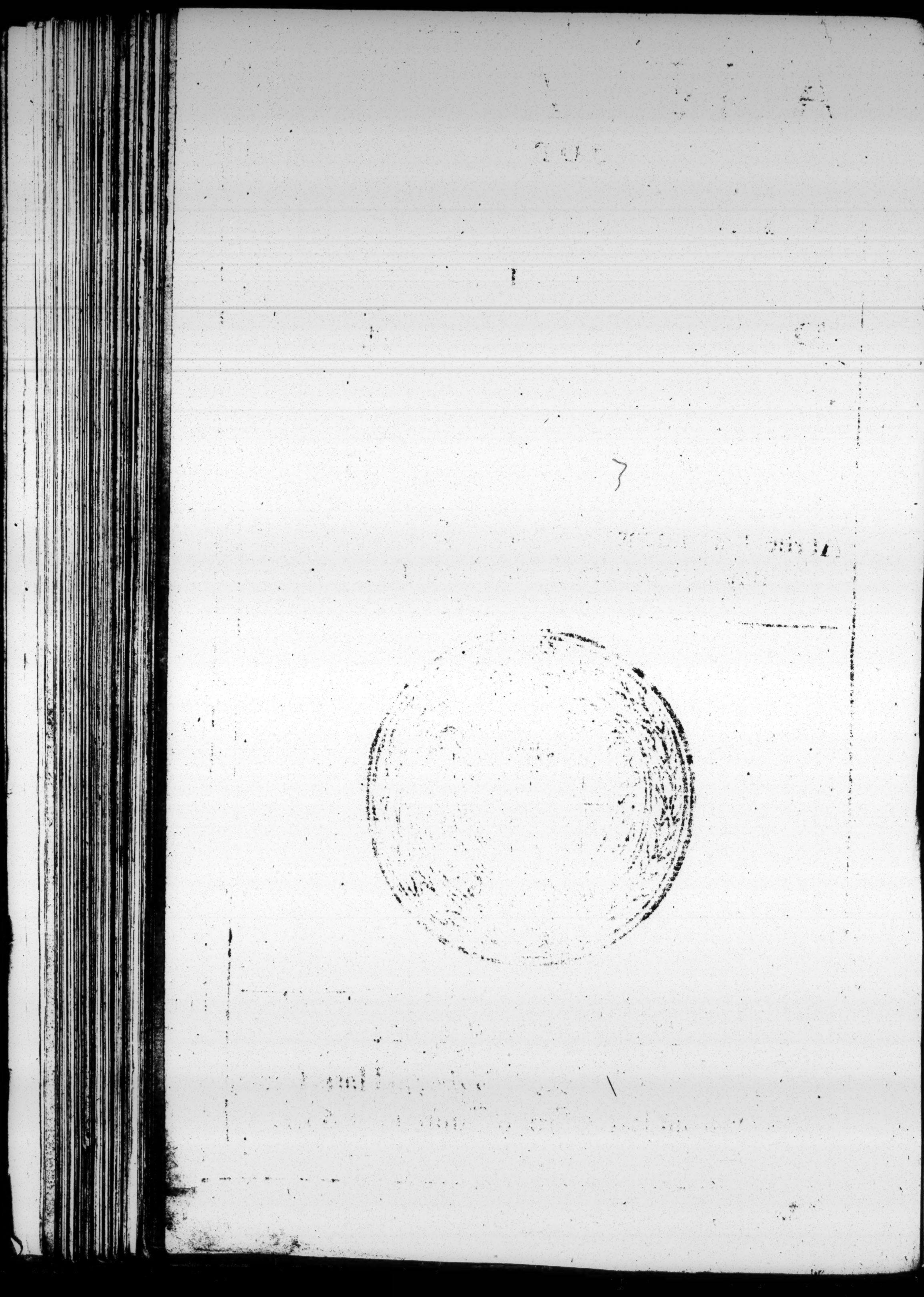
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At the Parliament begun at *Westminster*, the 17th
day of *September*, *An. Dom.* 1656.



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 E it Enacted by his Highness the Lord Protector and this present Parliament, and by the Authority of the same, That for one year, to be accounted from the Fifteenth day of *August*, One thousand six hundred fifty seven, No *Canary VVines*, *Muscadels*, or *Alligants*, or other *Spanish VVines*, shall be sold by Retail, at any Rate, Proportion or Price, exceeding Eighteen pence the Quart. And that no *Gascoigne* or other *French Wines* whatsoever, shall be sold by Retail, at any Rate, Proportion or Price, exceeding Seven pence the Quart. And that no *Rhenish Wines* whatsoever, shall be sold by Retail, at any Rate, Proportion, or Price, exceeding Twelve pence the Quart. And according to these Rates, Proportions, and Prices, for greater

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or lesser quantities, by Retail, all and every the
aforesaid Wines shall and may be sold, and at no
other Rate, Proportion, or Price exceeding the
same respectively, upon pain and penalty, that eve-
ry person within *England, Scotland, and Ireland*,
who shall utter or sell any of the said Wines by
Retail; that is to say, By the Pint, Quart, Pottle,
or Gallon, or by any other greater or lesser Retail-
Measure, at any Rate, Proportion, or Price, ex-
ceeding the Rates, Proportions, and Prices hereby
respectively limited and appointed, do and shall for
every such Pint, Quart, Pottle, Gallon, or other
greater or lesser Retail-Measure so sold, forfeit the
sum of Five Pounds; all which afore-mentioned
Forfeitures shall and may be recovered by Original
Writ of Debt, Bill, Plaint, or Information; in
which Suit or Suits no Wager of Law shall be
admitted, nor any Protection or Essoyn allowed.
The one third part of all such Forfeitures shall be
to the use of his Highness the Lord Protector, and
his Successors, and the other two third parts to
the use of such person and persons as shall sue and
prosecute for the same.

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